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SUBJECT: US-USSR ENVIRONMENTAL AGREEMENT, 02.05-1104
METHODS FOR THE CONSERVATION AND STUDY OF CRANES

1. REQUEST EMBASSY PASS FOLLOWING DATED JANUARY 26,
1977, TO DR. V. V. KRINITSKY WITH COPY TO KAZAKOV,
HYDROMET.

2. 02.05-1104 - JANUARY 26, 1977

DR. V. V. KRINITSKY
MAIN CONSERVATION ADMINISTRATION
USSR MINISTRY OF AGRICULTURE, MOSCOW, USSR
DEAR VASILI VASILEVICH:

THE MEMORANDUM OF THE FIFTH MEETING OF THE US-USSR JOINT
COMMITTEE ON COOPERATION IN THE FIELD OF ENVIRONMENTAL
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PROTECTION STATED THAT, SOVIET SPECIALISTS WILL
VISIT THE USA IN 1977 TO VIEW CRANE PROPAGATION FACILITIES
AND RELATED ACTIVITIES.

3. IN A DECEMBER 24, 1976, LETTER, DR. VLADIMIR FLINT
INDICATED TO DR. GEORGE ARCHIBALD, INTERNATIONAL CRANE

FOUNDATION, THAT THE SOVIET SIDE WOULD BE ABLE TO VISIT
THE UNITED STATES IN 1978.

4. PREPARATIONS TO RECEIVE DR. V. FLINT AND SPECIALISTS
OF COMPARABLE EXPERTISE IN 1977 ARE ALREADY UNDERWAY. IT
HAD BEEN ANTICIPATED BY DR. GEORGE ARCHIBALD THAT SOVIET
SCIENTISTS WOULD ATTEND THE AUGUST 17-20, 1977,
CONFERENCE ON MANAGEMENT TECHNIQUES FOR PRESERVING
ENDANGERED BIRDS IN MADISON, WISCONSIN. SUCH
ATTENDANCE IN CONJUNCTION WITH A VISIT TO CRANE PROPAGA-
TION FACILITIES IN THE U.S. COULD SIGNIFICANTLY ENHANCE
THE DEVELOPING CRANE STUDY ACTIVITY BETWEEN OUR TWO
COUNTRIES.

5. IF POSSIBLE, I URGE SOVIET CRANE SPECIALISTS VISIT
U.S. IN 1977 AS SCHEDULED IN THE MEMORANDUM AND NOT
POSTPONE TRIP TO 1978 AS INDICATED IN FLINT-ARCHIBALD
CORRESPONDENCE.

EARL B. BAYSINGER
PROJECT LEADER
CONSERVATION OF WILD SPECIES OF FLORA AND FAUNA.
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